

**American Fisheries Society North Central Division  
Rivers and Stream Technical Committee  
Annual Spring Meeting  
March 11-12, 2008  
Rock Island Conservation Club - Milan, Illinois**

**MARCH 11 – TUESDAY**

1:00 – 2:00

Welcome and call to order/ Introductions	Steve Pescitelli
Secretary /treasurer's Report	Kraig McPeck
Old business	
Winter meeting summary	Steve Pescitelli
Fish Passage Workshop review	Steve, Kraig, Don Roseboom
RSTC Chapter Reports –Missouri, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, Ohio, Ontario, and Wisconsin	
New Business	
Chairperson Nominations	Steve Pescitelli
Other New Business	Open to all

***SPECIAL WORKING SESSION***

2:00 – 2:15	Introductions / Background / Goals - Steve and Don
2:15 – 3:00	Fishery Response to Stream Restoration – Luther Aadland, MN DNR <a href="mailto:luther.aadland@dnr.state.mn.us">luther.aadland@dnr.state.mn.us</a>
3:00 – 3:15	Break
3:15 – 4:00	Fishery Response to Stream Restoration – Luther Aadland, MN DN
4:00 – 5:00	Follow up discussion – Future plans -symposium -restoration recommendation, development and publication -committee formation
6:00	Bus leaves from La Quinta Inn and travels to Rock Island Conservation Club
6:15 -10:00	Dinner, social and bus returns to La Quinta Inn

## **MARCH 12 – WEDNESDAY**

8:30– 9:00 Chapter Reports Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, Kansas, Michigan, Mid Canada, Minnesota,

### ***PRESENTATIONS***

9:00 – 9:30 Natural Streams in Non-Natural Watersheds -Don Roseboom USGS  
[roseboom@insightbb.com](mailto:roseboom@insightbb.com)

9:30 – 10:00 Mountains to Molehills - Preliminary Results of Sedge Hummock Construction at the Salmon River, Shannonville, Ontario - P. Montgomery/Doug Clark EcoTec Environmental Consultants Inc. [pmontgomery@ecotecenvironmental.com](mailto:pmontgomery@ecotecenvironmental.com)

10:00 – 10:15 Break

10:15 – 10:50 Natural approaches to fish passage - Luther Aadland, MN DNR

10:50 – 11:10 Assessment, design, & post construction fisheries monitoring for Karcher Creek, WisDOT STH 83 roadway improvement project, Kenosha County, WI Tom Slawski, Southeastern WI Planning Commission [TSlawski@SEWRPC.org](mailto:TSlawski@SEWRPC.org)

11:10 – 11:30 Riffle restoration? Kraig McPeck, USFWS [kraig\\_mcpeek@fws.gov](mailto:kraig_mcpeek@fws.gov)

11:30 – 12:00 Applications of Channel Geometry and Structures used in stream restoration - John Oldenberg and Jessi DiMartini, DuPage County Forest Preserve District  
[joldenberg@dupageforest.com](mailto:joldenberg@dupageforest.com)

12:00 – 12:30 Lunch

12:30 –12:50 Preliminary Investigations on the Use of a New Cool-Water IBI for Indianam - Len Kring, City of Elkhart [len.kring@coelkhartindiana.org](mailto:len.kring@coelkhartindiana.org)

12:50 –1:10 Biocriteria Monitoring – D.O. dynamics in Iowa Streams - Tom Wilton Iowa DNR [Tom.Wilton@dnr.iowa.gov](mailto:Tom.Wilton@dnr.iowa.gov)

1:10 – 1:30 Fish assemblages in Iowa's non-wadeable rivers: Relationships between habitat and sampling methods. Travis Neebling, Iowa State University

1:30 -2:00 Dark River Stream Restoration- a geomorphic approach to stream restoration/habitat improvement on a trout stream. Karl Kollar, MN DNR  
[Karl.Koller@dnr.state.mn.us](mailto:Karl.Koller@dnr.state.mn.us)